

National Hunger & Homelessness Awareness Week

Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week places two prominent issues in the spotlight. DES houses the Coordinated Hunger Relief Program and the Homeless Coordination Office, supporting the work of community partners who serve vulnerable individuals and families.

1 in 7 Arizonans struggles with hunger.

70% of the elderly in Arizona shelters have never been homeless before.

6,614 people were found homeless in Maricopa County during the 2019 PIT count.

Sources: Feeding America, Maricopa Association of Governments